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April 24, 2000

Mr. Jonathon Poorvu Chapel Bridge Park 55 Chapel Street Newton, MA 02158

Dear Mr. Poorvu:

I am writing to inform you of a United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 1 decision regarding the 80/90 Bridge Street site located at 80/90 Bridge Street in Newton, Massachusetts (EPA Identification Number: MAD001071034). The EPA Superfund program has completed its investigation of this site and on April 20, 2000 determined that a No Further federal Remedial Action Planned (NFRAP) decision was appropriate. On April 21, 2000 the site was archived (removed) from EPA's Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System (CERCLIS) database. (Sites archived from CERCLIS are maintained as historical records to ensure Superfund program investigations are not needlessly repeated in the future).

The 80/90 Bridge Street site has been reviewed by the Superfund Site Assessment and Removal programs, and EPA has concluded that, based upon currently available information, this site should be archived from CERCLIS. This action is intended to underscore EPA's finding that the 80/90 Bridge Street site is not an appropriate candidate for inclusion on the National Priorities List (NPL or "Superfund List"), and that EPA does not anticipate taking any further action at this site. This decision does not necessarily mean that there is no hazard associated with this site; sites with archive decisions may still warrant other federal or state program action. However, the decision to archive this site does mean that it is not judged to be a candidate for NPL consideration, and that EPA considers the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MA DEP) to be the lead agency overseeing environmental compliance at this site. You may contact Mr. Harish Panchal of the MA DEP at (617) 556-1118 to verify the status of this property under the state's waste site cleanup program.

Finally, archive decisions may be changed in consultation with the state, based upon new information or substantially altered site conditions. Such significantly changed circumstances could result in a recommendation for NPL proposal at a later time. In such an instance, you would be notified and the site would be returned to the CERCLIS database.

Please contact me at (617) 918-1436 if you have any questions regarding this decision.

Sincerely.

Nancy Smith

Site Assessment Manager

Office of Site Remediation and Restoration

cc: Mr. Harish Panchal, MA DEP

City of Newton, MA

Mr. Neal B. Glick, Craighead Glick LLP